CLIENT TRACK: BASIC OVERVIEW OF THE CLIENT DATA REPORTING SYSTEM



TRAINING OVERVIEW

- System Overview
- Data Collection and Reporting
- Authorized Users
- Community Partnerships and Confidentiality



WHAT IS CLIENT TRACK?

- •In 2009, Client Track was purchased from Data Systems International (DSI) by IHCDA to serve as the CSBG data collection system
- •Client Track is the statewide database that will be used to track clients served by each community action agency (CAA)
- •The system will produce an unduplicated count of clients served across each agency's programs
- •The system can generate each agency's annual CSBG IS report beginning 2013
- •The system can be used as a comprehensive reporting tool to not only gauge the impact of CSBG dollars, but also other federal and non-federal funding streams



WHO OWNS CLIENT TRACK?

- The data is stored on IHCDA's servers
- IHCDA owns the data that is being collected
- Oversight, maintenance, and compliance are administered by IHCDA
- Training and technical assistance are providing by Roeing



WHO WILL USE CLIENT TRACK?

Client Track has three levels of users.

State Users

- •IHCDA Program Managers, Specialists, Monitors, and Contractors (Roeing)
- •will have access to all of the data and reporting in the system

Agency Administrators

- •will oversee the agency implementation of the system
- •will oversee daily usage of the system after implementation
- •will conduct all state-required and agency-required reporting
- •will have access to all agency data and reporting, including the front line staff, but no state level access

Agency Front Line Staff

- •will enter all information obtained during the client eligibility review
- will serve as data entry specialists
- •will have access to client intake data only



HOW TO CHOOSE YOUR AGENCY ADMINISTRATORS?

Agency Administrators should be users that possess the following skill sets:

- be familiar with your agency's reporting requirements for various grants, especially CSBG.
- participate, in some capacity, with the CSBG IS reporting process
- should have familiarity with CSBG, ROMA Goals, and NPIs
- should be familiar with your agency's community partners, needs assessments, and current client intake processes across various programs
- Should have some familiarity with the agency's IT infrastructure, as it pertains to data collection and reporting



HOW DOES CLIENT TRACK WORK?

- Program and grant information are submitted to IHCDA with the annual Grantee Plan Packet
- 2) Each agency's program, grants, services, ROMA Goals, and NPIs are updated in the system
- 3) Clients will be entered and/or integrated into the system through RIAA, client intake, or other programs



WHAT DATA IS CLIENT TRACK COLLECTING?

Client's Name Social Security Number Date of Birth **Marital Status** Race/Ethnicity Education Income and non-cash benefits Housing status Assessment of case management needs Family members information



HOW IS DATA INTEGRATED FROM OTHER PROGRAMS?

- Currently data is integrated from RIAA and IWAP
- •RIAA is the database that is used for client eligibility with the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program, or EAP
- •IWAP is the database used for client eligibility with the Indiana Weatherization Assistance Program
- Integration from these two programs will prevent duplicate entries of many clients
- •The data integration between RIAA/IWAP and Client Track was completed in January 2012
- •Now, data from these two systems are integrated into Client Track nightly



CLIENT INTAKE FORM

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WHEN WILL CLIENT TRACK BE INTEGRATED INTO OTHER DATABASES?

- •Based on the process for implementing the software, Client Track is not scheduled to be integrated with other databases at this time
- •In some instances, using Client Track may require duplicate entry of client data in multiple programs



WHO SETS UP THE PROGRAM INFORMATION?

IHCDA will set up the initial program information

This information includes each agency's:

- Programs
- Grants funding the programs
- Services offered by the program

IHCDA is the only authorized user allowed to update this information

If agencies find that their programs, grants, and/or services are incorrect, the agencies must submit changes to IHCDA's CSBG and EAP Program Manager or Program Specialist.



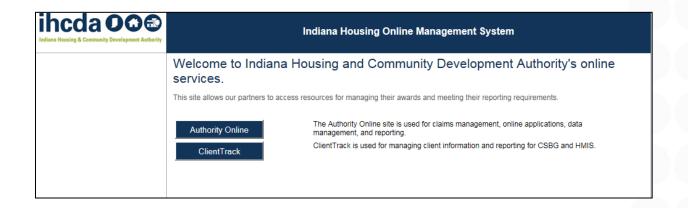
HOW IS THE CLIENT'S INFORMATION PROTECTED?

- •Client Track is an "open system", or all agencies with authorized users have access to the clients' information
- •Currently, there are six universal data elements that will be shared with all users:
 - Name, DOB, SSN, marital status, race, and ethnicity
 - All other information may be restricted from public view
- There is an option to "restrict to organization"
- •By restricting information to the organization, only that agency's authorized users will have access to the clients' information



LOGGING IN ONLINE

To log into Client Track, the user should visit http://ihcdaonline.com and click on Client Track.





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Then, the user will be prompted to log into the Client Track Database.

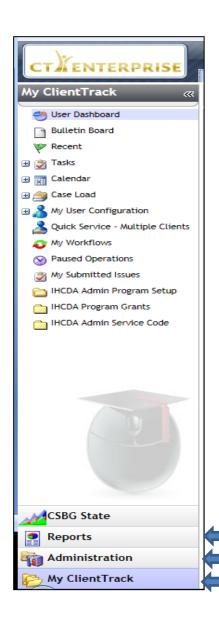
Each user is given a unique username and password.

If a user does not have this information, then that user should contact the agency's administrator.





CLIENT TRACK SETUP



My Client Track

Once a user logs in, My Client Track is that user's homepage.

If the user is in another section of the system, the user can return to the homepage by clicking on My Client Track

My Client Track can used to track each staff person's:

- •Tasks, appointments, and follow-ups
- Post messages and notes about client's accounts
- •Caseloads and workflows, or teams if the user is a supervisor
- Update user information

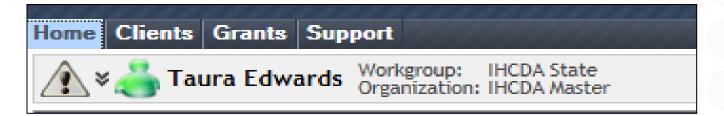
Here is where reports are run and submitted.

Only agency administrators will have access to this link.

My Client Track is the Home Page once all users log in.



TOOLBAR ON MY CLIENT TRACK



Home

If a user clicks on My Client Track or logged in for the first time, HOME is the user's home page.

Clients

This tab allows the user to complete the CSBG Intake Workflow or update a client's information.

Grants

This tab allows the user to review any CSBG grant and program information. It is only used by administrators.

Workgroup: Identifies the user's access to database (User, Administrator, or State)

Organization: Identifies the organization that the user is linked to



CLIENT TRACK DASHBOARD

- •The User Dashboard is the home page of Client Track.
- •It provides the user with the following information:
 - · Organization that the user is linked to
 - CSBG IS report submissions
 - Current Program Enrollments



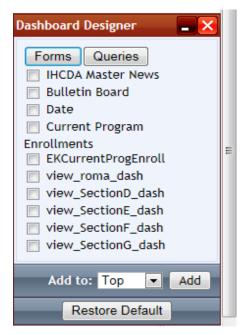


HOW DO YOU CHANGE THE DASHBOARD?

Click on the double tablet in the mid-right corner of the screen and a box will appear.

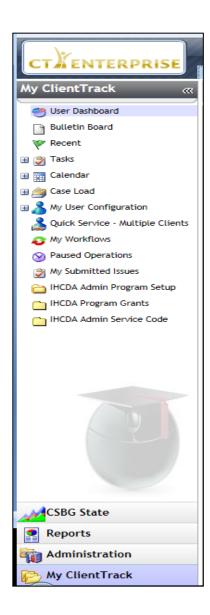


A pop up box will appear.
The user can choose what
Information is displayed on the
dashboard.



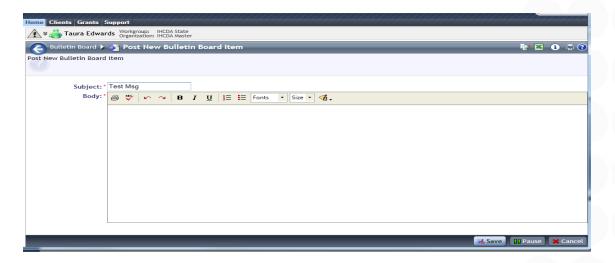
This option is restricted to administrators only.





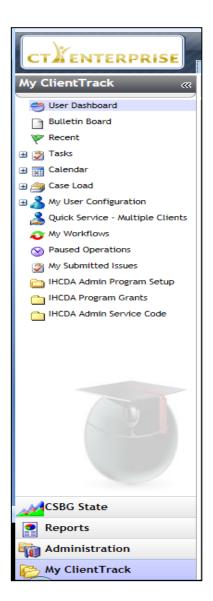
BULLETIN BOARD

It allows users to save electronic messages about clients, cases, or other information. These messages are not shared with other users.



- To Post a Message, click on Post New Message.
- •A note pad will appear.
- •Enter the subject and body.
- Click on Save, and the message will post.





RECENT

- •The Recent tab keeps track of the most recently visits clients or grant information that the user has visited.
- •It is a quick link to review recently information without doing a long search.
- •This tab will give the client's name, tab visited (Client or Grant), and date accessed.
- •The user can quickly go back to this link by clicking Select.







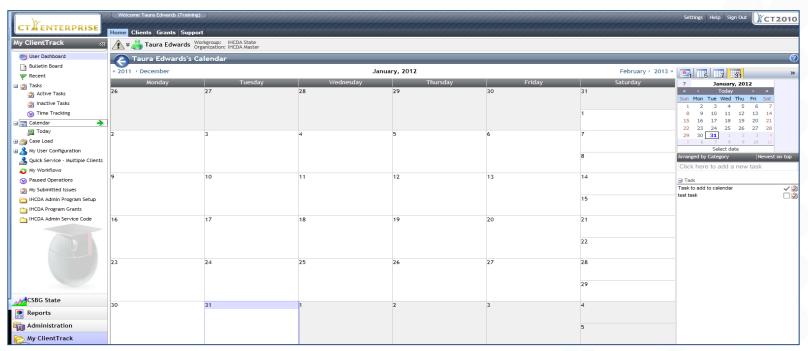
TASKS

- Tasks are items that are scheduled on the Calendar.
- •Each task identifies:
 - · Type-Task, Goal, Activity, or Alert
 - Name
 - Begin/End Date
 - Participant Type-Client, User, Provider, or Other
 - Role-Participant, Presenter, or Provider
 - Status-New/Pending, Acknowledged, Completed, or Cancelled
- •This information determines how the task will appear on the user's calendar.
- •There are 3 types of tasks:
 - Active Tasks- New/pending, Acknowledged
 - Inactive Tasks- Completed or cancelled
 - **Time Tracking-** Tracks the time that the user spend trying to complete the task.

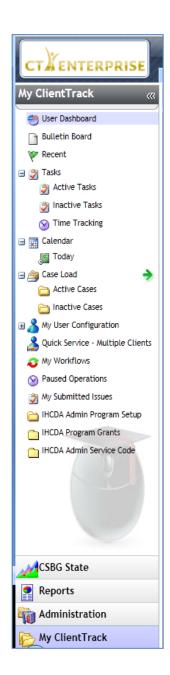
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CALENDAR

- •The Calendar tracks all of the tasks, follow-ups, and appointments set by the user.
- •The calendar can be viewed by day, 5-day week, 7-day week, or monthly views.





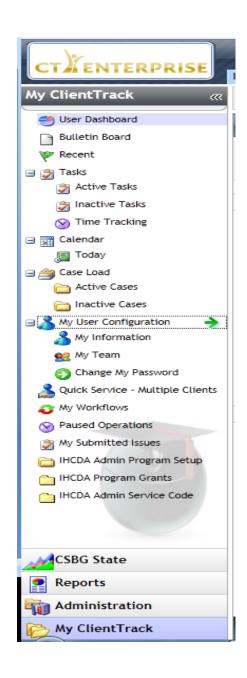


CASELOAD

- •The caseload tracks the clients that have been assigned to the case manager.
- •It provides a quick link to update the client's information.
- •It separates the caseload by status (active or inactive).
- •It lists the program that the client is enrolled in and the begin/end date of case management.
- •It allows the case manager to add a new client or print a caseload report.







MY USER CONFIGURATION

This Section allows users to:

- Update their contact information in the database
- Manage their team (if listed as a supervisor)
- Change passwords

First, IHCDA must set up the user with a username and password.

If that user is an administrator (or supervisor), the agency must notify to list that user as a supervisor.

IHCDA will then link that administrator's team (or staff) in Client Track.

The agency administrator will have access to update the team's passwords and contact info.



WHO PROVIDES TECHNICAL SUPPORT?

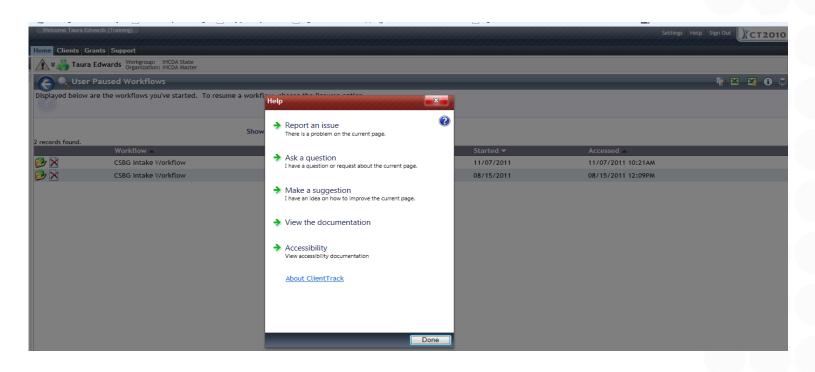
Client Track has a four step process for technical support.

- **Step 1**: The user will contact the agency's administrator for basic issues or password resets. If the agency administrator is unable to complete the request, then...
- **Step 2**: The request is sent to IHCDA's Program Management Staff. IHCDA will acknowledge the request and assign to a staff person. If IHCDA is unable to resolve the request, then...
- **Step 3**: The request is sent to Roeing. Roeing will troubleshoot the issue with the agency. If Roeing is unable to resolve the request, then...
- **Step 4**: The request is sent to Data Systems International (DSI), or the creators of the system. DSI will provide final resolution.

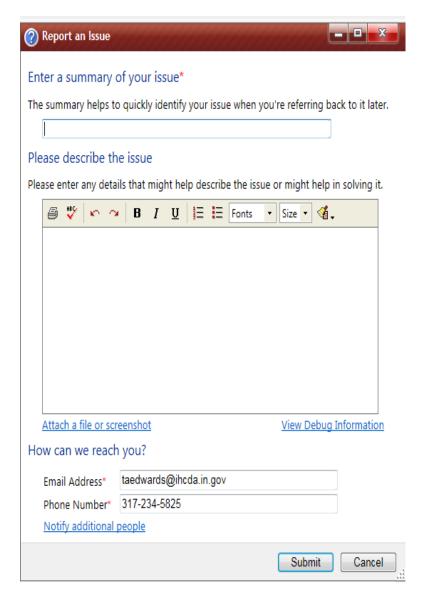


HOW DO I ACCESS TECHNICAL SUPPORT?

- •In the top right corner of the screen, there is a HELP Link.
- •Click on that Help link, and a box will pop up.
- •Click on Report an Issue.







SUBMITTING THE ISSUE

Once the user has clicked on Report an Issue, a form will appear.

Step 1: Provide a summary of the issue

Step 2: Enter details about the issue in the text box

Step 3: Attach a file or screenshot if necessary

Step 4: Ensure that the user's contact info is correct.

Step 5: Click on Submit.



STILL HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS INFORMATION?

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